III. DSS PROFILER

Due the demand for more accurate identification of aberrant cases, the State requested Electronic Data Systems (EDS) and Health Care Excel (HCE) coordinate in an effort replace the RAMS II system. EDS and HCE began development of the new system, DSS Profiler, in the summer of 2004. Full implementation of DSS Profiler is scheduled for the third quarter 2005.

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- DSS Profiler will replace the obsolete, traditional RAMS II Control File System in July 2005.
- DSS Profiler is an integrated query, reporting and analysis tool that uses information from the DSS Data Mart. The DSS Profiler will be utilized to obtain over 110 profile reports for members and providers. The reports include exception ranking for providers that rank greater than two standard deviations above their peers.